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Dear CHS Parent:

I am excited to announce that for the first time ever, we are ready to launch an after school program to provide academic support and enrichment to our students at CHS. This program will be offered to students at both the middle school and high school level. There will be yellow bus transportation for middle school students and high school students will receive activity passes to extend their metro access. I need to be clear that the funding will provide services for approximately two hundred students. Because the funding comes from a Title I source, we must prioritize students who qualify for Title I services within our school community if there is not room to meet all requests. Feedback from the parent survey which we administered in October helped inform the academic and enrichment opportunities that are being offered. We are going to learn some things along the way about how this program can best fit our students' needs and will make adjustments until we maximize its benefits.

The program will be offered beginning February 6, Monday-Thursdays from 2:30-4:30 PM and will run through May 25, 2017.

High School students will have the opportunity to receive academic support in both Math and/or Science for two hours per day via a "Support Hall." This support hall will not only be a place for math and science support, it will be a quiet place of study. A hot meal will be provided each day. Student athletes who are scheduled for team practices or games that start later than 2:30 PM who remain in the building will be required to attend the support program until their coach begins their team activity for the day.

Middle school students will receive academic support in mathematics on Mondays and Wednesdays and ELA on Tuesdays and Thursdays for the first segment of the program. After enjoying a hot meal in the cafeteria, students will have the opportunity to participate in enrichment such as Scrabble club, instrumental music, yoga/mediation and gardening. These enrichment offerings will rotate every five weeks. Yellow bus transportation will be effective on the first day of the program for participating middle school students.

You will find a registration form attached to this letter. **All registration forms are due to the Main Office by Friday, January 27, 2017.**

Sincerely,

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